

BEFORE THE
POSTAL REGULATORY COMMISSION
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20268-0001

RETAIL ACCESS OPTIMIZATION INITIATIVE, 2011

Docket No. N2011-1

**REVISED RESPONSE OF THE UNITED STATES POSTAL SERVICE
TO NLP INSTITUTIONAL INTERROGATORY NLP/USPS-18 [ERRATA]**

The United States Postal Service hereby provides a revised institutional response to the above-listed interrogatory of the National League of Postmasters dated August 30, 2011. The revised response filed today supersedes the original response, filed on September 6, 2011 and reformatted on September 7, 2011.

Respectfully submitted,

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NLP/USPS-18: If all 3,650 Post Offices subject to the Retail Access Optimization Initiative had been closed in 2010, what percentage reduction would have been made in the Postal Service's total operating costs for that year?

RESPONSE:

It has been estimated that the aggregate annual operating expenses of these facilities is just over \$200 million dollars, or about 0.3 percent of total operating expense.